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Dedication

We the Senior Class, do dedicate this, the Acorn for 1961, to our high school faculty.

To Mr. Joe Kiser, who was our freshman sponsor, and displayed his skill of patience with us in his health and physical education classes.

To Mrs. Joan Houser, our Home Economics teacher, she has shown patience in training us to be good homemakers.

To Mr. B. W. Griffith, who has shown individual interest to us in seeing that we understand math.

To Mrs. Vivian Hartsoe, she has shown an understanding in those of us that are choosing a business career.

To Mr. William Warlick, who was our Sophomore sponsor, and taughtus our science making our classes very interesting and enjoyable.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Mosteller, who was our Junior sponsor, and worked with us displaying individual interest, also sharing with us her knowledge of history.

To Mr. S. E. Richbourg, our agriculture teacher, he has shown a helping hand to those planning to be farmers or carpenters.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Rhyne, who has given generously of herself in her dealings with us as our Senior sponsor and our English teacher.

This is our way of showing our appreciation to our high school faculty.

We being the last graduating class of Union High School dedicate this the last Acorn to, the high school faculty.

You, the senior class, have worked diligently and faithfully toward graduation. We hope you apply what you have learned to your future life. You have been an asset to the school. We are proud of you.

My advise to any young person would be to make decisions. Decide what is right, stick to it, let no one convince you otherwise, but be sure you are right.

Tom W. Nolem



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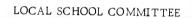
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Class Motto

Possunt, quia posse videntur They can, who think they can.

Class Colors
SILVER AND BLACK

Seniors of 1961



Class Flower



Robert Lewis Allen



Linda Earlene Avery



Richard Ellis Baucom



Dorothy Gaynor Beam



Barbara Jane Black



Barbara Jane Chapman



James Ray Elmore



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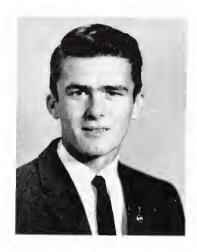
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Ned Franklin Johnson



Ralph Eugene Johnson, Jr.



Shirley Faye Johnson



Brenda Muriel Leatherman



James Thomas Leatherman III



Hazel Mae Long



Thames Manley Lutz



Ronald Eugene McConnell



Floyd Eugene Peeler



Billy Gene Reep



Thomas Crowell Rhyne



Benny Keith Sain



Carolyn Marie Scronce



Judy Elizabeth Seagle



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Nancy Marie Wellborn



Mary Frances West



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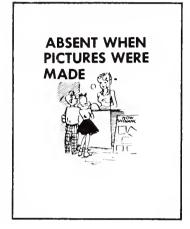
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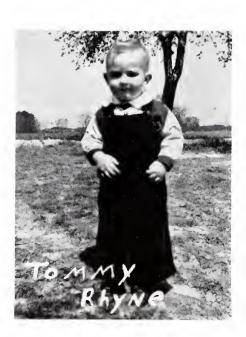
Betty Jean Ingle

MASCOTS OF 1949-50 SCHOOL YEAR



Dorothy Beam

> Tommy Rhyne



PATTERN OF LIFE

Conclusion, that master of our fates, Has brought us close from far away. From the year we met our classmates, To this year of our parting day.

Beginning saw us full of awe,
At the chance of being in school.
Time, ever marching, fulfilled its law,
Now we must respond to that rule.

The years of work we leave behind.

As now we step out into life.

Each has a goal he wants to find,

Be it goods or husband or wife.

But a word of care I leave with you,
Ere you not plan your pathe ahead:
Go straight, go strong, be brave and true,
Lest by the world you are led.

Follow Him: His way is the one described:
His is the straight but narrow path.
Be ye not strayed nor either bribed,
Nor do things to provoke His wrath.

Go not alone but help someone,
As life quickly passes you by.
Don't always work but have some fun,
And love, and laugh, and cry.

Work to fulfill your highest aims;
Drive hard to realize your goals.
Follow life's highways; stake out life's claims.
Worship to broaden your hearts and souls.

These are elements of full, whole living,
That are offered to us as we leave.
May we live them always without misgiving;
To work, to live, and to believe!

Larry Yoder Class Poet

Class Prophecy

"AS I GAZE INTO MY CRYSTAL BALL"

As prophet of the senior class, I must foretell the future of the 1961 seniors. As I gaze into my crystal ball, it is very dusty. As I continue to look I see it's not fairy dust, but dust from a racing field. Then the picture begins to clear and I see that it is the beginning of the Southern 500. "Cooter" Warlick is the driver of the fastest car there built by Jim Leatherman, who owns Leatherman's Speed Shop.

Jim has also built three of the fastest cars on the road for Gene Houser, Ray Elmore, and Lewis Wright, the most famous Bootleggers in the business. It seems to me that these boys should attend one of the sermons of Larry Yoder and his assistant missionary Brenda Leatherman. Larry is taking over where Billy Graham left off.

Watch out! What was that! I see now that it is an ambulance coming into a hospital owned and directed by Judy Hager. The patient is Terry Whitner, who owns Whitey's Casino. Judy is calling in her assistant Jane Black to take over.

Oh, my crystal ball just blacked out. I guess I'll have to call Howard Fisher and Ned Johnson, electrical engineers, to fix it. While I'm at it I might as well call the radio and TV repairmen, Floyd Peeler and Thames Lutz, to fix my radio and TV.

Now that my crystal ball is in working condition again, I'll get back to the seniors. On second thought maybe it's not working right. Surely this building can't be the White House, but it is. There goes Betty Jo Hauss to one of her presidental meetings. She really meant it when she said she wanted to be president.

Now let's see what this meeting is all about. Well, if there isn't Barbara Chapman, a famous interior decorator, and Ralph Johnson, one of the few millionaires left, at the meeting. They must be planning something big. Now Betty Jo is dictating invitations to her secretaries, Judy Gilbert, Betty Jean Ingle, Dot Beam, and Frances West. Ah, now the plot begins to clear. They are planning a class reunion and Maxine Johnson and Hazel Long are to type the invitations.

Wow, this class reunion sure is a big occasion. All the seniors of 1961 are arriving. As they come in Betty Jo has them tell everyone what they are now doing.

First to arrive are Tommy Rhyne, a professor at the University of North Carolina, and Ronnie McConnell, a teacher at Lenior Rhyne. Next to arrive is Judy Seagle, Secretary of Welfare, and her assistant Brenda Houser.

The Air Force begins to arrive in the form of Major Bill Reep and Lieutenant Buddy Smith. But the Army isn't left out as Earlene Avery and her husband, who is a general in the Army, arrive with Shirley Johnson, a dance instructor at the Arthur Murray Dance Studio in New York.

The businessmen of the class Richard Baucom and Keith Sain, owners of Baucom and Sain Freight Lines, Inc., arrive together.

I see that Tony Gilbert and Kay are telling everyone that Tony has just become the new owner of Gilbert's Garage, Inc.

The last ones to arrive are Willie Faye Hilms, a lawyer, and Carolyn Scronce, a court stenographer. Everyone is here with the exception of the airline hostess Nancy Wellborn, and the pilot, Robert Allen, who brought all the students here.

You might know my crystal ball would begin to fade at this moment, and I would miss all the fun.

Prophet Carolyn Scronce

Class History

We the Senior Class of 1961 are at last completing our last years of high school. They were happy years. We have had fun and heartaches during the time we have been in high school. We've done many things which we are proud to talk about along with some we are not so proud of.

In August of 1957, forty-five of us delightly entered high school as freshmen. Some of us came from Howards Creek the year before, but were well in swing with the rest of the class by now.

Our leaders for that year were Judy Seagle, Barbara Chapman, Dot Beam, Shirley Johnson, Judy Gilbert, and Tom Rhyne.

In August of 1958 we went on to higher education. We were sophomores. There were only 43 in our class that year. Our leaders were Barbara Chapman, Richard Baucom, Dot Beam, Phil Hoover, Tom Rhyne, Larry Yoder, and Shirley Johnson.

Some of the boys and girls were honored with the privilege of carrying our school colors as basketball players.

In the spring of 1959 we had come to the year most of us had been looking forward to, our Junior. We had many events to look forward to.

There were 39 of us that year. Our leaders were Tom Rhyne, David Warlick, Barbara Chapman, Judy Seagle, Carolyn Scronce, and Larry Yoder.

Six Juniors were initiated into the Beta Club.

The biggest events of that year were the Junior Play entitled, "Sing for Your Supper," which was a big success; and the Junior-Senior Banquet. We choose the Ginderella Ball as a theme and did we ever have a ball.

At last in the spring of 1960, we were Seniors. We will soon be facing graduation.

There are 37 of us now. Our leaders are David Warlick, Tom Rhyne, Judy Seagle, Larry Yoder, and Richard Baucom.

This year we look forward to presenting the Senior Play, and most important we look forward to graduation.

It has been a long hard climb. Many of us will go on to higher education and many of us will go directly into making a living for ourselves. But whatever we set out to do I am confident we will succeed.

Historian Barbara Chapman

Bast Will and Testament

We, the Senior Class of '61, realizing our years at Union are almost a thing of the past do hereby will to our parents and faculty our sincere appreciation for the untiring efforts expended to us during our school years.

To the JUNIORS: who will be the first graduates from West Lincoln, we wish luck and success.

To the SOPHOMORES: we leave our good grades and cherished memories. \cdot

To the FRESHMEN: we leave our books and our ability to study.

- I, Robert Allen, do hereby will to my brother and sisters all the easy and hard times I have had at Union.
- I, Earlene Avery, do hereby will to my sister Judy my good times at Union and my bookkeeping book in hopes she will understand it better than I.
- I, Richard Baucom, do hereby will my bus, No. 64, to anyone who can handle it and my tranquilizer pills to the next driver.
- I, Dorothy Beam, do hereby will all my past good times at Union to Joyce Childers and my sister Sandra, hoping they enjoy themselves as much as I have.
- I, Jane Black, do hereby will my books to my sister Sue with the hope she studies more than I did.
- I, Barbara Chapman, do hereby will my excess weight to anyone capable of carrying it around as long as I have. To Sammie Haynes I will my good times and my good grades to Joe Bill Heavner.
- I, Ray Elmore, do hereby will my books to anyone who wants them with the hope they learn more than I did.
- I, Howard Fisher, do hereby will my seat in study hall to my sister Evelyn and my English book to my brother Barney with the hope that he uses it.
- I, Tony Gilbert, do hereby will my good times at Union to my brother Richard.
- I, Judy Gilbert, do hereby will my ability to play basketball to my nephew, Alan Hoyle, and hope that he doesn't have the misfortune that I had.
- I, Judy Hager, do hereby will all my good times and all the left-over North Brook boys to Joyce Childers.

- I, Betty Jo Hauss, do hereby will my superlative as Best All Around to Judy Griggs, also my ability to enjoy school life to everyone going to West Lincoln.
- I, Willie Faye Helms, do hereby will my books to my sisters Brenda and -Phyllis with the hope that they study more than I did.
- I, Brenda Houser, do hereby will all my good times at Union and my French book to Linda Huss, hoping she understands Français better than I did.
- I, Gene Houser, do hereby will my bus to my brother Darrell and hope he makes a better driver than I. I will my good times at Union to my sister Dianne and hope she has as many at West Lincoln.
- I, Betty Jean Ingle, do hereby will my typewriter to the next typist with the hope they get along with it better than I did.
- I, Ned Johnson, do hereby will my books to my sister Kay and hope she will make more use of them than I did.
- I, Ralph Johnson, do hereby will myself to some Beautiful girl.
- I, Shirley Johnson, do hereby will my books and good times at Union to Kay and Jimmie Dellinger.
- I, Maxine Johnson, do hereby will all my good times at Union to my brother Jimmy.
- I, Brenda Leatherman, do hereby will to my brother Jerry all the good times I have had at Union and hope he has as much fun at West Lincoln.
- I, Jim Leatherman, do hereby will all my good and bad times to Joe Heavner.
- I, Hazel Long, do hereby will my corner in Bookkeeping to Margie Byrd hoping she doesn't talk as much as I did.
- I, Thames Lutz, do hereby will my seat in the new school to anyone who would like to sit in it.
- I, Ronnie McConnell, do hereby will my bus to James Wilson who substituted for me about as many times as I drove it.
- I, Floyd Peeler, do hereby will my good times at Union to my three nieces, Teresa, Flo, and Patricia.

- I, Bill Reep, do hereby will my ability to come from the first grade to the twelfth grade without ever opening a book, to Jerry Thomas.
- I, Thomas Crowell Rhyne, do hereby will Bus 31 to my brother John and my basketball suit No. 31, to my brother Jim, hoping they both do better with them than I did.
- I, Keith Sain, do hereby will all my books and good times to my brothers in the hope that they will use them.
- I, Carolyn Scronce, do hereby will my head to Margaret Yount because at the rate Tootie is going she may need it, and my giggles to anyone who can control them better than I and all my good times to Kay Dellinger.
- I, Judy Seagle, do hereby will myself to the future and whatever it has in store for me.
- I, Buddy Smith, do hereby will my seat in the new school to anyone there that wants it.
- I, David Warlick, do hereby will my ability to get along with the teachers to my sisters Joyce and Kathy and to my brother Gene.
- I, Nancy Wellborn, do hereby will myself to the future, and my past good times at Union to Anne, my sister, hoping she will enjoy herself as much as I have.
- I, Frances West, do hereby will my good times to my sister Peggy hoping she has as much fun as I did.
- I, Terry Whitner, do hereby will my old Algebra book to my brother Tony hoping that he gets more out of it than I did.
- I, Lewis Wright, do hereby will my fast six-cylinder bus with a four speed floor shift to anyone who can get 30 mph out of it.
- I, Larry Yoder, do hereby will to my brother Wayne and my sister Mary my good times at Union in hopes that they have more fun at West Lincoln; to all underclassmen I will my "ability" to get along without studying excessively.

Signed:
Dorothy Beam, Testator







OUR

BUSY

SENIORS

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WORK













FAVORITIES



Most Friendly

CAROLYN SCRONCE GENE HOUSER

Most Talkative

LEWIS WRIGHT
BRENDA LEATHERMAN





Flirtiest

SHIRLEY JOHNSON HOWARD FISHER



Most Intelligent

JUDY SEAGLE
TOMMY RHYNE

Most Attractive

DOT BEAM

Most Handsome

DAVID WARLICK





Best Sports

BRENDA HOUSER
TONY GILBERT



Most Athletic

BARBARA CHAPMAN
TOMMY RHYNE

Best All-Around

BETTY JO HAUSS
TONY GILBERT





Most Popular

CAROLYN SCRONCE
RALPH JOHNSON



Most Mischievious

JUDY GILBERT

KEITH SAIN

Most Studious

BARBARA CHAPMAN
LARRY YODER





Best-Dressed

DOT BEAM
RICHARD BAUCOM



Wittiest

BETTY JO HAUSS
LEWIS WRIGHT

Most Likely to Succeed

JUDY SEAGLE
JIM LEATHERMAN



The Home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Houser





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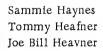




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Judy Grigg Sandra Hartsoe



Kenneth Heavner Peggy Hoover



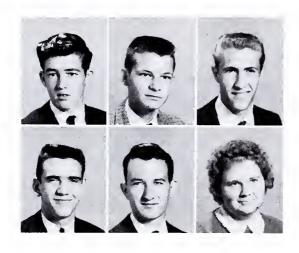












Darrell Houser Billy Ledford Otha Lynch

David Mosteller Donald Newton Nancy Peeler

Faye Reep Johnny Rhyne











Bobby Royster Darrell Scronce Jimmy Scronce





Gene Scronce Dewey Smith







Mary Warlick Beth Warlick Junior West

Janice Whitener James Wilson Rita Wise

Jerry Wyant Margaret Yount Bernice McGee

















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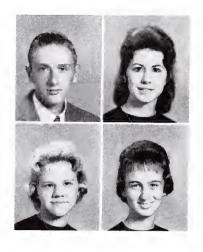
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SOPHOMORES



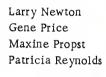
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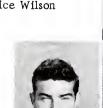






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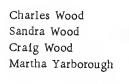
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Peggy Ledford Vivian Mosteller Dianne Propst Patricia Reep

















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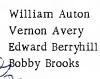
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Senior 4-H Junior 4-H







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Tom Rhyne, Donald Newton, David Mosteller, Ronnie McConnell, Jerry Wyant, Danny Ingle, Larry Newton, Wayne Yoder, Ned Johnson, Floyd Peeler, Jerry Geymont, Kenneth Deyton, Richard Eaker, Larry Yoder, Jim Killian, Ralph Johnson, Mr. B. W. Griffith. Not pictured: Gene Scronce, Max Abernethy, Larry Eaker, Bill Kiser, Bill Ledford, John Rhyne, Bobby Royster, Darrell Scronce, Jimmy Scronce, Dewey Smith, Larry Hoyle.



Bibrarians

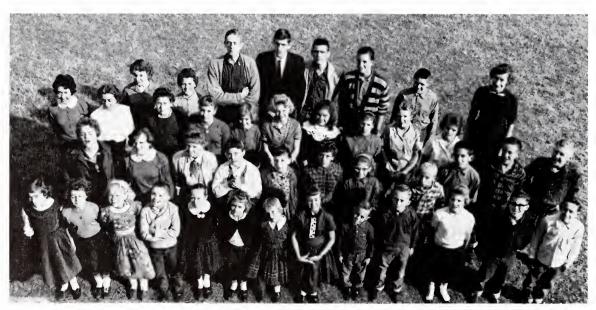
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Glee Club



Music Club





Debating Team

David Mosteller, Ronnie McConnell, Brenda Leatherman, Tom Rhyne, Larry Yoder, Donald Newton. COACH: Mr. B. W. Griffith.



Junior Marshals of 1960

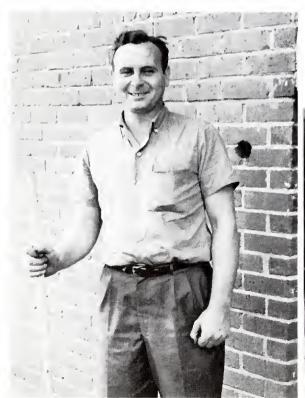
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Tom Rhyne Barbara Chapman



Bus Drivers

Janitors



Cooks





HTHLETICS



Nancy Spencer Co-Captain



Margaret Yount



Barbara Chapman Co-Captain





Carolyn Scronce





Janice Wilson





Reba Elmore



Varsity Basketball

Coach, MR. JOE KISER



MANAGERS, Judy Gilbert Peggy Hoover





Tommy Rhyne Co-Captain



Johnny Rhyne



Danny Ingle



Jim Cochrane

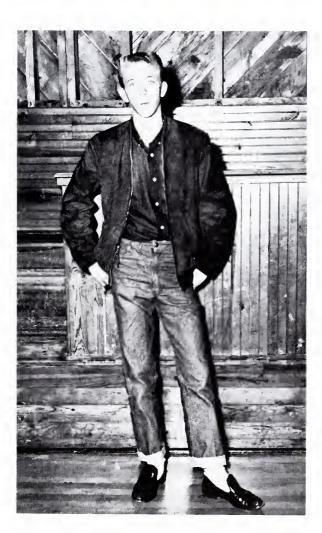


Larry Yoder Co-Captain



Gene Scronce





Varsity Basketball

Coach, MR. JOE KISER

Manager, KENNETH HEAVNER





Junior Varsity Girls

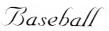








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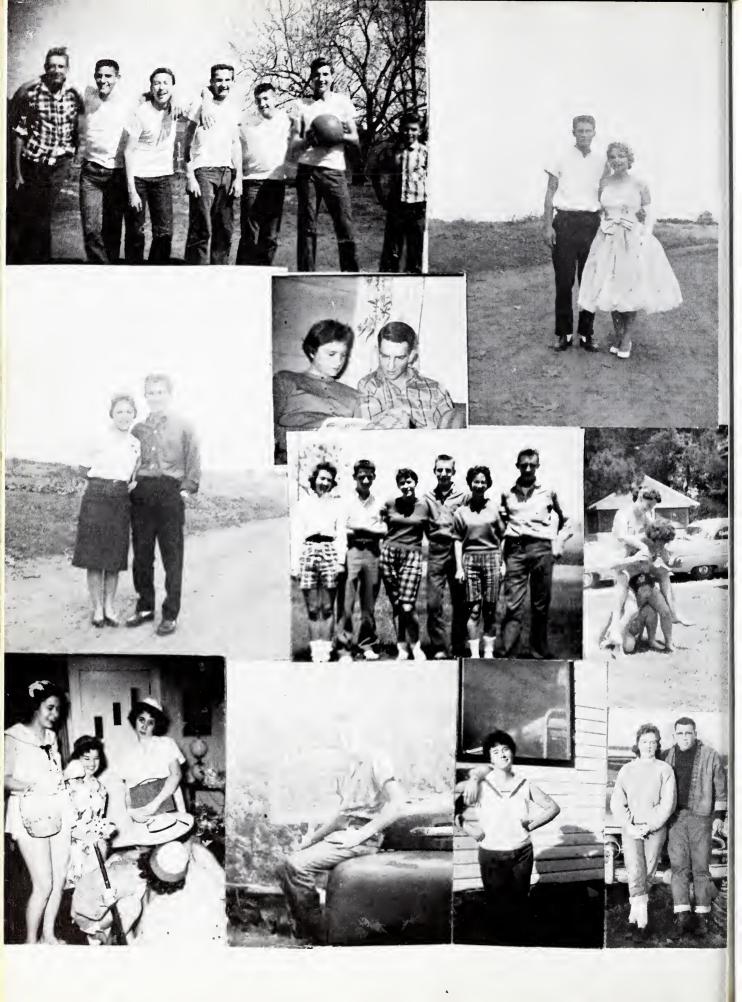
Carolyn Avery, Barbara Chapman, Chief; Judy Sain, Junior Dorsey, Carolyn Scronce, Kenneth Graham, Jewel Gilbert.

At Practice





ELEMENTARY





FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Gene Warlick, Darrel Wise, Tony Sain, Dennis Sain, Bill McConnell, Michael Baucom, Danny Warlick, Lonnie Leatherman, Robert Wehunt, Edwin Shelton, Michael Crowder. SECOND ROW: Carl Angle, Robert Wise, Terry Royster, Donald Farmer, Earl Jenkins, Mike Huss, Jack Sain, Clinton Carswell, Clinton Houser, Gene Goins, Larry Gilbert. THIRD ROW: Bobby Lynch, Farrel Sain, Ted Yount, Ricky Rhyne, Dean Scronce, William Smith, Rodney Scronce, David Reep, Robert Hallman, Rhea White, Robert Goins. FOURTH ROW: Mr. James Hoyle, Douglas Leatherman, Ronnie Hallman.

Eighth Grade



FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Sue Jonas, Harriet Propst, Vickie Ledbetter, Janet Gilleland, Jessie Seagle, Kathy Abernathy, Sue Deyton, Dianne Helms, Renee Abernathy, Marie Carpenter, Linda Finger, Helen Heavner. SECOND ROW: Freda Eaker, Phyliss Carpenter, Linda Hines, Sallie Cochrane, Priscilla Smith, Dianne Houser, Paulette Allen, Rebecca Scronce, Mary Moody, Sue Reep, Rubye Yount. THIRD ROW: Shirley Ingle, Rebecca Houser, Brenda Gilbert, Linda Avery, Janice Sain, Martha Allen, Mrs. Seagle.



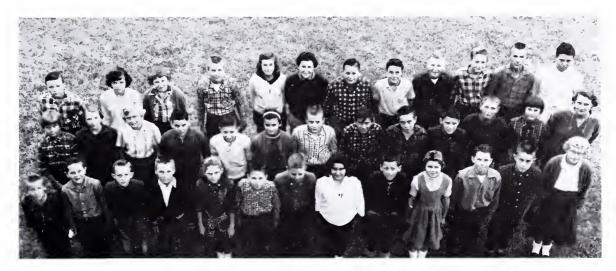
FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Linda York, Hugh Smith, Darrel Bivens, Johnny Seagle, Ronnie Cochrane, Donnie Cochrane, Doris Bolick, Ellen Davis, Vicki Warlick, Tony Whitener, Gary Rudisell. SECOND ROW: Vicki Houser, Rita Byers, Gay Hoover, Reba Sain, Richard Gilbert, Gleen West, Ray Scronce, Jerry Angel, Teresa White, Barbara Allen, Ann Scronce, Charlene Blackwell. THIRD ROW: Jerry Berryhill, Larry Carpenter, Joe Di Bernardo, Blair Yount, Bradford Broadway, Joan Smith, Dianne Stroupe, Dora Berryhill, Brenda Bivens, Kaye Houser, Rachel Crowder, FOURTH ROW: Mr. Frank Yoder. Absent: Robert Mahaley, Larry Sharpe, Wayne Taylor.

Above is Seventh Grade



Sixth and Seventh Grades

FIRST ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jerry Leatherman, Roger Hilton, Robert Mosteller, Ronnie Carswell, Phyllis Helms, Kay Johnson, Catherine Coon, Max Jonas, Rhodney Reep, D. M. Haynes. SECOND ROW: Peggy Fredell, Mary Jo Ellis, Shelis Sain, Mary Yoder, Linda Reep, Barbarsa Falls, Coleen Duckworth, Judy Hill, Gary Sain, Larry Gilbert. THIRD ROW: Mr. Fitzhugh Kiser, Susan Kiser, Sharon Sigmon, Ted Propst, Wayne Reep, Foy Fredell, Charles Killian, Gary Reynolds, Zelda Beam, Peggy West.



Sixth Grade

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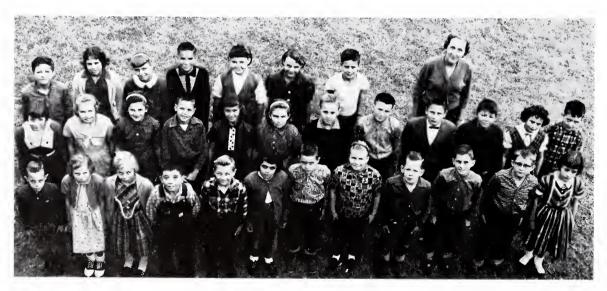
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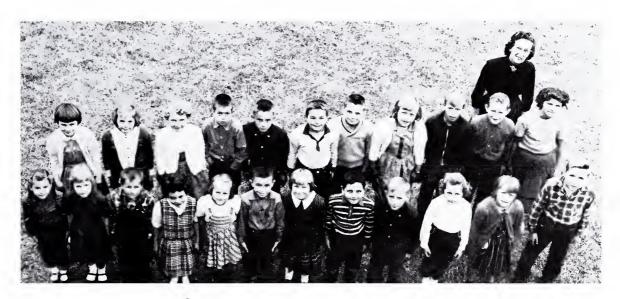
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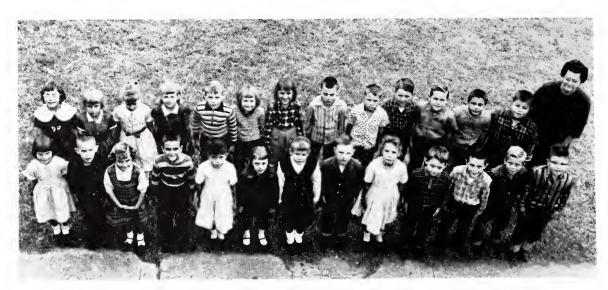
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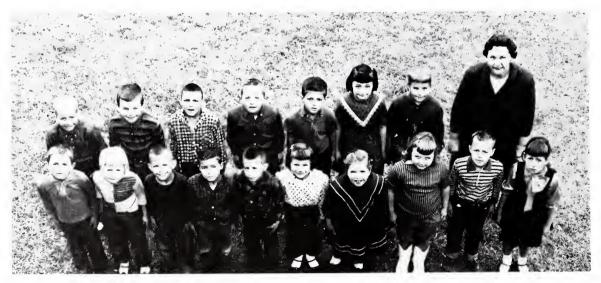
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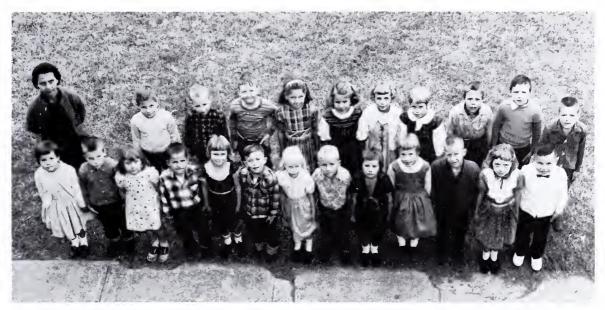
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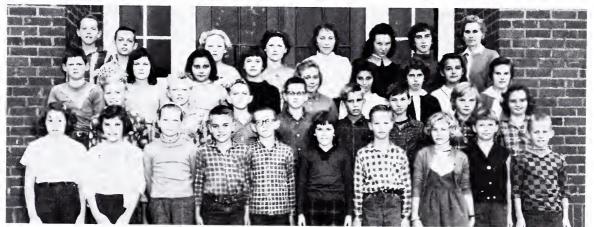
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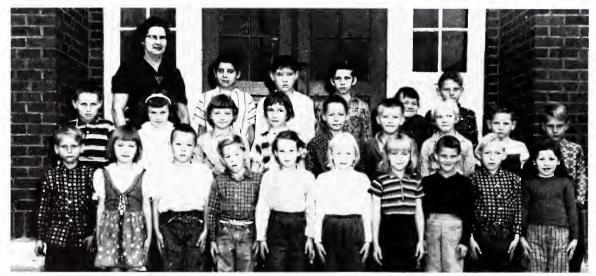
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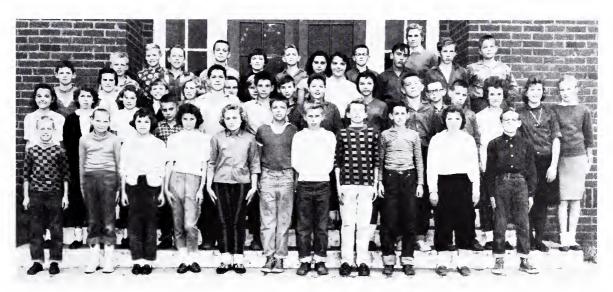
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EARLENE AVERY - FHA 1, 2; Glee Club 3: 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4

RICHARD BAUCOM - Bus Driver 3, 4; Vice President 2, 4

DOROTHY BEAM - Class Secretary 2; Librarian 1, 2; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Junior Varsity 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice President of FHA 4; Reporter 3; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating 2, 3; Cheerleader 3; Best Dressed 4; Most Attractive 4; Class Testator 4

JANE BLACK - FHA 1, 2, 3; 4-H 1; Junior Varsity 1

BARBARA CHAPMAN - Class Treas. 1; Class President 2; Class Secretary 3; Historian 4; Most Studious; Most Athletic 4; Junior Varsity 1; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Chief Cheerleader 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Secretary 4; FTA 3; FHA 1, 2, 4; Song Leader 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Librarian 1, 2; Softball 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Trail Blazer Staff 4; Junior-Senior Banquet 3; On Radio 2; Marshal 3

RAY ELMORE - 4-H 1, 2, 3; Key Club 3; FFA 1; Junior Play; Radio Program 3

HOWARD FISHER - Junior Varsity 1; FFA 1; 4-H 1, 2; Junior Play; Flirtiest 4; On Radio 4

JUDY GILBERT - FHA 1, 4; Secretary 4; FTA 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; Jr. Varsity 1; Varsity 2, 3; Manager 4; Softball 2, 3; Jr. Play; Class Reporter 1; Librarian 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Most Mischievous

TONY GILBERT - 4-H 1, 2, 3; FFA 1, 3; Glee Club 1; Best All Around; Best Sport

JUDY HAGER - Lincolnton High School 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA President 4; French Club 1, 2; Monitor Club 1, 2; Office Staff 4; Home Ec. Club 1, 2; Library Club 1, 2

BETTY JO HAUSS - North Brook 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; FHA 2, 3, 4; Jr. Varsity 1, Softball 1, 2; Varsity 2; Best All Around; Wittiest

WILLIE FAYE HELMS - Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Varsity 1; FHA 1, 2, 3; 4-H 1, 2, 3; Jr. Play

BRENDA HOUSER - Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 3; Song Leader 4; FTA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 4; Music 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play; Cheerleader 3; Jr. Varsity 1; Best Sport; Reporter 1

GENE HOUSER - Friendliest; 4-H 1, 2, 3; FFA 1; Bus Driver 3, 4; Trail Blazer Staff 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Reporter 4; Jr. Play; Key Club 2, 3

MAXINE JOHNSON - Glee Club 2; 4-H 1, 2; FHA 1, 2; Jr. Play

NED JOHNSON - 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1; Key Club 1

RALPH JOHNSON - 4-H 1, 2, 3; Key Club 3, 4; FFA 1; Most Popular; Annual Staff 4; Jr. Play 3

SHIRLEY JOHNSON - Glee Club 3; 4-H 1, 2; FHA 1, 2; Class Reporter 2; Junior Play; Flirtiest; Vice President 1

BRENDA LEATHERMAN - FHA 1, 2, 3; 4-H 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Varsity 1; Debating Team 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play; FTA 2, 3, 4; Librarian 2; Most Talkative

JIM LEATHERMAN - 4-H 1, 2, 3; Key Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 3; FFA 1, 2; Class Reporter 1; Most Likely to Succeed

HAZEL LONG - Bunker Hill High School 1, 2; FFA 3; 4-H 3, 4; Glee Club 3

THAMES LUTZ - FFA 1; Jr. Play; Radio Program 4; Librarian 4

RONNIE McCONNELL - Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; FFA 1; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 3, 4; Office Staff 4

FLOYD PEELER - FFA 1; Basketball 1; Tool Judging Team 1; Bus Driver 2; Jr. Play; Librarian 4; Key Club 4; On Radio

BILL REEP - 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1

TOM RHYNE - Class President 1,3; Class Vice Pres. 2; Class Treas. 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain 4; Manager 1; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Debating 1,2,3,4; 4-H 1,2,3,4; Key Club 1,2,3,4; Pres. 4; Beta Club 3,4; Vice Pres. 4; Master of Ceremonies Jr. -Senior Banquet 3; Boys' State Delegate 3; Trail Blazer 4; FTA 3,4; Glee Club 1,2; Jr. Play 3; Bus Driver 3,4; Junior Marshal; Most Athletic 4; Most Intelligent

KEITH SAIN - FFA 1,3

JUDY SEAGLE - Glee Club 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; County Health Queen; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Program Chairman 1; Historian 2; Parliamentarian 4; FTA 3, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Music Club 1, 2, 3; Debating 2, 3; Librarian 1, 2; Beta Club 3, 4; Reporter 4; District Vice Pres. 4; Jr. Play; Marshal 3; Jr. Varsity 3; Class Pres. 1; Class Treas. 2; Class Secretary 4; Bus Driver; Most Likely to Succeed; Most Intelligent; Trail Blazer 4; D. A. R. Good Citizenship Award 4; Jr.-Senior Banquet

BUDDY SMITH - 4-H 1, 2, 3; FFA 1

DAVID WARLICK - Most Handsome; Class President 4; Class Vice Pres. 3; Glee Club 3; Jr. Play; Jr. Varsity 1; Basketball Manager 1, 3; Basketball 2, 4; Key Club 3; Baseball 3; Annual Staff 4; Jr. -Senior Banquet 3; Baseball Manager 2; FFA 1, 3

NANCY WELLBORN - Wilkes Central High School 1, 2; Glee Club; Hall Monitor 2; Kappa Fri Hi Y 2; Jr. Play; Class Queen 3; FHA 4; Historian 4; FTA Reporter 4; Office Staff 4; Debating Club 3

FRANCES WEST - Glee Club 2; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3; Jr. Play

LEWIS WRIGHT - Key Club 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Jr. Play; Bus Driver 4; Most Talkative 4; Most Witty; FFA 1

LARRY YODER - Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice Pres. 4; FFA 1; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4 Songleader; Debating 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Go-Captain 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; FTA 3, 4; Pres. 4; Beta Club 3, 4, Pres. 4; Trail Blazer; Annual Staff 4; Chief Marshal 3; Class Reporter 2, 3, 4; Popularity King 4

CAROLYN SCRONCE - Devotional Chairman 1; Class Reporter 2, 3; Prophet 4; Most Friendly; Most Popular; Jr. Varsity 1; Varsity 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Treas. 4; FHA 1, 2, 4; Reporter 4; 4-H 1, 2, 4; Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club; Jr. Play; Softball 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Jr. -Senior Banquet Radio Program 2

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